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The House convened at 1:00 p.m. with the Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore, Representative Crosby, in the Chair.

The invocation was offered by Representative Ronald D. Herrell.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Representative David B. Yount.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

T. Adams •	Hoffman
Aguilera	Kersey
Alderman	Klinker
Atterholt	Kromkowski
Avery	Kruse
Ayres	Kruzan •
Bardon	Kuzman
Bauer	Lawson •
Becker	Leuck
Behning	Liggett
Bischoff	J. Lutz
Bodiker	Lytle
Bosma	Mahern
Bottorff	Mangus
C. Brown	Mannweiler
T. Brown •	McClain
Buck	Mellinger
Budak	Mock •
Buell	Moses
Burton	Munson
Cheney	Murphy
Cherry	Oxley
Cochran	Pelath
Cook	Pond
Crawford	Porter
Crooks	Richardson
Crosby	Ripley
Day	Robertson •
Denbo	Ruppel
Dickinson	Saunders
Dillon	Scholer
Dobis	M. Smith
Dumezich	V. Smith
Duncan	Steele
Dvorak	Stevenson
Espich	Stilwell
Foley •	Sturtz
Frenz	Summers •
Friend	Thompson
Frizzell	Tincher
Fry	Torr
GiaQuinta	Turner
Goeglein	Ulmer
Goodin	Weinzapfel
Grubb	Welch
Harris •	Whetstone
Hasler	Wolkins
Herndon	D. Young •
Herrell	Yount
Hinkle	Mr. Speaker

Roll Call 418: 90 present; 10 excused. The Speaker announced a quorum in attendance. [NOTE: • indicates those who were excused.]

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that when we do adjourn, we adjourn until Thursday, March 29, 2001, at 10:00 a.m.

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Motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed, without amendments, Engrossed House Bill 1229 and the same is herewith returned to the House.

MARY C. MENDEL
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Engrossed House Bills 1307, 1388, and 1667 with amendments and the same are herewith returned to the House for concurrence.

MARY C. MENDEL
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed House Concurrent Resolutions 36 and 45 and the same are herewith returned to the House.

MARY C. MENDEL
Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Senate Concurrent Resolutions 55 and 56 and the same are herewith transmitted to the House for further action.

MARY C. MENDEL
Principal Secretary of the Senate

RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

House Concurrent Resolution 60

Representative Mellinger introduced House Concurrent Resolution 60:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Al Lind.

Whereas, Al Lind has been a wrestling coach for 28 years;

Whereas, Since 1978, Al has been coaching at Highland High School in Anderson, Indiana;

Whereas, At the end of the 2001-2002 school year, Al will retire;

Whereas, Al has had an outstanding coaching career;

Whereas, Al's win/loss record is 360-275-12, with five sectional championships, two regional championships, one semi-state championship, one county championship, and a fourth place in the state finals in 1990;

Whereas, Al Lind was inducted into the Indiana High School Wrestling Coaches Association Hall of Fame in 1995 in recognition of his contributions and dedication to the sport of high school wrestling;

Whereas, Not only is Al known as a true sportsman by his students and the faculty at Highland High School, he has been recognized statewide by Indiana state wrestling officials and was named Most Sportsmanlike Coach in 1993; and

Whereas, Al Lind has contributed greatly to the sport of high school wrestling, both on and off the mat: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to congratulate Al Lind on the occasion of his retirement from coaching and to thank him for all his time and effort over the last 28 years and his dedication to the students of Highland High School.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Al Lind, athletic director Tammy L. Chavis, principal Lennon Brown, and the superintendent.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Lanane.

House Concurrent Resolution 61

Representative Duncan introduced House Concurrent Resolution 61:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the students of North Decatur Elementary School, and their art teacher, Lynne Saler for the clever "Kids on Parade" art project.

Whereas, Mrs. Saler, while on a visit to Chicago last fall, was inspired by the Chicago "Cows on Parade" to have her art students create a display that would be rivaled only by the Cow display itself;

Whereas, The concept for goats was derived from the fact that the principal of North Decatur Elementary is a goat farmer;

Whereas, 40 goats range all the way from "Vincent Van Goat" to "Gene Kiddy" and includes the likes of "Pippi Goatstalking," and other sports figures;

Whereas, The goats have been on display all over the state including a 1 month visit to the Statehouse where they brought smiles to many faces;

Whereas, The goats have had a parade in their honor as well;

Whereas, The goats will soon be on exhibition at the Indianapolis Children's Museum;

Whereas, The North Decatur "Kids on Parade" has been one of the most creative displays to date based on the Chicago "Cows.";

Whereas, The "Kids on Parade" was an educational as well as an artistic project for all the students at North Decatur who participated;

Whereas, The goats are so popular that quite a few groups have offered to purchase them from Mrs. Saler for private displays;

Whereas, The parents of the children, as well as the other teachers at North Decatur are to be commended for their help in the design and construction of the cardboard figures, and

Whereas, Mrs. Saler and the North Decatur art students demonstrated fantastic imagination and ingenuity in the production of the display which took two months to complete: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the House of Representatives of the Indiana General Assembly honors the students of North Decatur Elementary School, and their art teacher, Lynne Saler for the clever "Kids on Parade" art project.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit 10 copies of this resolution to North Decatur Elementary School.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Jackman.

House Concurrent Resolution 62

Representatives Murphy, Buell, and Frizzell introduced House Concurrent Resolution 62:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring and commending Colonel and Editor Gerald L. "Jerry" Sargent, for his life time of Public Service, and the occasion of his 75th birthday, November 30, 2000.

Whereas, Gerald Lee Sargent was born November 30, 1925 in Bloomington;

Whereas, He graduated from Bloomington High School in 1943;

Whereas, He volunteered to serve in United States Navy in 1944 taking basic training at the Great Lakes Training Center; from there he was assigned to the U.S.S. Tollberg, an attack destroyer, as a Radioman 3rd Class and later as a Gunnery Supervisor;

Whereas, He served in the North and South Atlantic, the Mediterranean and the South Pacific theaters of World War II;

Whereas, He earned the Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon with two Bronze Stars for action at Leyte Gulf and Okinawa;

Whereas, He earned the American Theater Ribbon, the American Defense Service Medal, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon, the Good Conduct Ribbon and the World War II Victory Medal;

Whereas, Upon returning home from the war, he attended the Indiana University School of Journalism and graduated in 1949.

Whereas, He also received a commission as a 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Army Infantry after four years as a ROTC cadet at Indiana University;

Whereas, He was called to active service in the Korean Conflict in 1950, as a 1st Lieutenant, then as a Captain in the Continental United States, before being sent to the Pusan Perimeter, where he served at U.S. Army Headquarters until reassigned in 1951;

Whereas, He served until 1980 in the United States 70th Training Division, consisting of Infantry based troops from Indiana and Michigan;

Whereas, He graduated from the United States Industrial War College at Ft. McNair, Virginia in 1975, having entered the Federal Selective Service System as a Major in 1960.

Whereas, He was promoted to Colonel under General Lewis B. Hershey, with his office located at Ft. Benjamin Harrison;

Whereas, He married Mary Frances Steivers on September 21, 1975 on the campus of the University of Indianapolis;

Whereas, Jerry Sargent served as editor of "The Perry Township Weekly" starting in 1962, and is now editor emeritus of its successor, "The Southside Times";

Whereas, His civilian career as a journalist spanned 50 years working as a reporter, editorial writer and eventually a television personality for television station WTTV;

Whereas, He telecast the first ever game of the Indianapolis Indians in 1954;

Whereas, He served as a Congressional Aide to U.S. Representative William G. Bray from 1955 to 1974;

Whereas, He obtained membership in the Beech Grove American Legion Post #276 in 1955, making the year 2001 his 55th year of consecutive membership;

Whereas, Gerald L. Sargent, Col. USAR, was awarded the Meritorious Service Medal in July 1980;

Whereas, He was honorably discharged August 14, 1980, after 34 years of service to the United States Armed Forces;

Whereas, He is the recipient of many awards including the Sagamore of the Wabash in 1982 and the Man of the Year for the City of Greenwood in 2001: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors and commends Colonel and Editor Gerald L. "Jerry" Sargent, a native Hoosier, for his life time of public service to the citizens of the state of Indiana, his community, and our country, and sends best wishes for his 75th birthday.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the Indiana House of Representatives transmit 3 copies of this resolution to Col. and Mrs. Jerry Sargent.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Miller.

House Concurrent Resolution 63

Representatives Cheney, Ayres, Dumezich, and V. Smith introduced House Concurrent Resolution 63:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging Congress and the United States Air Force to remove the letter of reprimand from the records of Quentin Smith.

Whereas, During World War II, Indiana became a battleground over the issue of segregation in the armed forces resulting from an incident at Freeman Field in Seymour, Indiana;

Whereas, The Freeman Field incident depicts courageous young black men's trials and tribulations and their fight for equal rights;

Whereas, The incident involved the arrest of a group of black Army Air Force officers assigned to the 477th Bombardment Group at Freeman Field;

Whereas, On April 5, 1945, this group attempted to enter a segregated USO officers' club;

Whereas, Segregation in the armed forces was widespread, and the black officers were not given access to the officers' club;

Whereas, The black officers refused to accept this situation and demanded lawful entry into the segregated club;

Whereas, As a result, one officer was charged and convicted by a general court martial of assault and two other officers were court martialed. These officers were later acquitted of all charges;

Whereas, The other officers involved were given letters of reprimand and were charged with "conduct unbecoming an officer, failure to obey a lawful order, and breach of good order and discipline";

Whereas, During this period, a letter of reprimand was one of the strongest administrative actions a commander could impose on a service member;

Whereas, Quentin Smith was one of the officers who received a letter of reprimand;

Whereas, His story is one of heroism and bravery in the face of injustice;

Whereas, Quentin Smith deserves our gratitude and our respect;

Whereas, Quentin Smith does not deserve to have his military record tarnished for speaking out against injustice;

Whereas, Nine years before Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., and Mrs. Rosa Parks ignited the nation by refusing to obey the segregation laws of the Montgomery, Alabama Bus Company, Quentin Smith entered a segregated officers' club at Freeman Field and stood up for the rights of minorities throughout our nation; and

Whereas, Quentin Smith deserves to be honored for his stand against racism and segregation: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the Congress of the United States and the Air Force to remove the letter

of reprimand from the records of Quentin Smith.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Quentin Smith, the Indiana Congressional delegation, and to the commanding general of the United States Air Force.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Alexa.

House Concurrent Resolution 64

Representative Grubb introduced House Concurrent Resolution 64:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Legislative Council to assign to the Natural Resources Study Committee the topic of the timely issuance of permits to maintain drainage ditches.

Whereas, The timely issuance of permits to maintain drainage ditches is vital to prevent loss of farmland, irreparable environmental damage, and situations that threaten human lives: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Legislative Council is urged to assign to the Natural Resources Study Committee the topic of the timely issuance of permits to maintain drainage ditches.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Wheeler.

House Concurrent Resolution 65

Representatives GiaQuinta, Leuck, Atterholt, and Alderman introduced House Concurrent Resolution 65:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the state of Indiana to fly the POW/MIA flag at the State House and at highway rest stops on Memorial Day and for a number of days equal to the number of Indiana's MIAs from the Vietnam conflict.

Whereas, In 1971, Mrs. Michael Hoff, an MIA wife and member of the National League of Families, recognized the need for a symbol of our POW/MIAs;

Whereas, Together with Norman Rivkees, vice president of Annin & Company, Mrs. Hoff designed a flag to represent our missing members of the armed forces;

Whereas, On March 9, 1989, an official POW/MIA flag, which flew over the White House on 1988 National POW/MIA Recognition Day, was installed in the U.S. Capitol Rotunda as a result of legislation passed overwhelmingly during the 100th Congress;

Whereas, The POW/MIA flag is the only flag that has ever been displayed in the U.S. Capitol Rotunda, where it still stands as a powerful symbol of our national commitment to America's POW/MIAs;

Whereas, The POW/MIA flag will continue flying until our country has received the fullest possible accounting for U.S. personnel still missing and unaccounted for from the Vietnam War;

Whereas, The State of Indiana owes an eternal debt of gratitude to all men and women who were prisoners of war and who are still missing in action; and

Whereas, The State of Indiana acknowledges the service, courage, and sacrifice of these men and women and wishes to honor them: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the state to fly the POW/MIA flag at the State House and at highway rest stops on Memorial Day and also for the number of days equal to the number of Indiana's MIAs from the Vietnam War. The General

Assembly urges the state of Indiana to supply the POW/MIA flags that will be flown on those days.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the commissioner of the Indiana department of transportation, the commissioner of the Indiana department of administration, and the governor.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsors: Senators Wyss, Craycraft, Paul, and Alexa.

House Concurrent Resolution 66

Representative Klinker introduced House Concurrent Resolution 66:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing Mary Lou Hoover Conrad.

Whereas, Mary Lou Hoover Conrad graced the lives of all Hoosiers with warmth, wit, and thoughtful graciousness;

Whereas, Her life with Larry A. Conrad, her husband, led her to be involved in politics and public service;

Whereas, While living and working in the world of politics and public service, she applied her musical talent to writing the award winning lyrics to U.S. Senator Birch Bayh's 1962 campaign song, "Hey Look Him Over," which was widely credited with providing instant recognition to the relatively unknown candidate;

Whereas, Mary Lou Hoover Conrad proved to be a tireless campaigner on behalf of her husband in his pursuit of public office, inspiring men, women, and children in all sections of Indiana and from all walks of life;

Whereas, Mary Lou Hoover Conrad helped to build a successful business and, along with her husband, reached across political divisions, bringing people together from all backgrounds to begin the renaissance of Indianapolis in the 1980's;

Whereas, Mary Lou Hoover Conrad prized education for all and promoted educational excellence in Indiana by providing outstanding service as a member and officer of the Board of Trustees of Ball State University, her alma mater; and

Whereas, Mary Lou Hoover Conrad excelled first and foremost in being a mother to her four children, a grandmother to her thirteen grandchildren and an aunt to her nephew: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to acknowledge the contributions and accomplishments of Mary Lou Hoover Conrad in improving the quality of life of all Hoosiers.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the family of Mary Lou Hoover Conrad.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Howard.

House Concurrent Resolution 67

Representatives Pelath and Budak introduced House Concurrent Resolution 67:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing Arlo Westphal.

Whereas, Arlo Westphal, LaPorte, Indiana, died on Friday, August 11, 2000, at the age of 74;

Whereas, Arlo Westphal was born on February 18, 1926, in Chicago, Illinois, to Arnold C. and Esther H. Dysard Westphal;

Whereas, Arlo graduated from Elston High School in Michigan City, Indiana, and went on to earn a bachelor's degree from

Valparaiso University in 1951 and a master's degree from Indiana University in 1955;

Whereas, On June 9, 1951, Arlo married Jayne Stirling in Salem, Ohio, a union which resulted in the birth of a daughter named Greta;

Whereas, Arlo Westphal was dedicated to the educational advancement of the children of LaPorte serving as a teacher and counselor in the LaPorte school system;

Whereas, Arlo Westphal taught for two years at Union Township School, was a teacher and counselor in the LaPorte school system, and served as assistant principal at LaPorte High School from 1969 until his retirement in 1987;

Whereas, Arlo Westphal was interested in the welfare of all the citizens of LaPorte and worked to better their lives;

Whereas, Arlo worked tirelessly as the executive director of the LaPorte United Way for two terms and served as a past president of the LaPorte City Council;

Whereas, Always active in his community, Arlo was an active member of the Democratic Party, enjoyed participating in the LaPorte Little Theater, was a past president and member of the LaPorte Rotary Club, because he was a Paul Harris Fellow, was a charter member of the Youth Service Board of Directors, and served on the boards of the American Red Cross, Human Rights Commission, LaPorte Redevelopment Commission, and LaPorte Fire Department Merit Commission;

Whereas, As a member of the First Baptist Church, Arlo was the church organist for several years, served on many church boards, and taught Sunday school;

Whereas, Arlo Westphal's service to his state and community did not go unnoticed; he was awarded a Sagamore of the Wabash and the Kentucky Colonel award, the highest civilian awards given by the states of Indiana and Kentucky; and

Whereas, Arlo Westphal touched the lives of many people, and they are better for having known him: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to convey its deepest condolences to the family of Arlo Westphal.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to his wife Jayne, his daughter Greta S. Friedman, and his brother Rex A. Westphal.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Bowser.

House Concurrent Resolution 68

Representatives Foley, Frizzell, and Burton introduced House Concurrent Resolution 68:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Tom Dirks, the band director from Center Grove High School, Greenwood, Indiana, on the occasion of his retirement.

Whereas, Tom Dirks never planned to become a band director;

Whereas, While enrolled at Purdue University, Tom discovered that engineering was not the profession for him, so he transferred to Indiana State University at Terre Haute, Indiana, and began pursuing a music degree;

Whereas, Tom earned his music degree from Indiana State University and returned five years later to earn his master's degree;

Whereas, After graduation, Tom began teaching in Patriot, Indiana, where, under his guidance, the membership of the band increased from seven to 25;

Whereas, Tom's next teaching positions were in Columbus and Danville;

Whereas, In 1975, Tom joined the faculty of Center Grove High School as the new band director;

Whereas, The 1970s were a time of change for Indiana high school marching bands, and Tom prepared his band to change with the times;

Whereas, Tom introduced new marching techniques that included the elimination of the baton twirlers and the institution of a rifle and flag corps;

Whereas, Under the tutelage of Tom Dirks, the Center Grove Marching Trojans received state, local, and national recognition, including the prestigious Sudler Shield Award from the John Philip Sousa Foundation;

Whereas, In 1987 and 1988 the Trojans were runner-up in the Indiana State School Music Association (ISSMA) Class A state band championships, and in 1989, 1991, and 1999 they were the state champions;

Whereas, Just as the marching band prospered under Tom's guidance, so did other musical groups. The middle school and high schools bands received superior ratings at the ISSMA state concert band contest, the symphonic band received top honors annually, the marching percussion unit has been undefeated in competition for the last four years, and the winter guard has been the Indiana high school state champion for 15 of the past 18 years and has won national championships three times;

Whereas, After more than a quarter of a century, Tom Dirks will retire from Center Grove High School at the end of the 2000-2001 school year;

Whereas, Although he will no longer be at school every day, Tom will still be active in the music community where he hopes to help establish a community foundation to fund future band activities;

Whereas, Tom has devoted countless hours creating a program that allows band members to grow physically, mentally, and emotionally and to have a good time while participating; and

Whereas, Tom Dirks is a remarkable man who gives freely of his time to help the children of our state become better adults: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to thank Tom Dirks for the thousands of hours he has given the children of the state of Indiana and the pleasure he has given all of us with his wonderful music and to wish him well in his future endeavors.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Tom Dirks and his wife, Connie, superintendent Al Long, and principal James Mervilde.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsors: Senators Garton and Borst.

House Concurrent Resolution 69

Representatives Foley and Frizzell introduced House Concurrent Resolution 69:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Center Grove High School, Greenwood, Indiana, girls volleyball team on its recent Class 4A state championship.

Whereas, The Center Grove High School, Greenwood, Indiana, girls volleyball team scored a come-from-behind victory to win its first Class 4A volleyball state championship over three-time defending state champion Muncie Central High School;

Whereas, Anyone present at Noblesville High School on November 4, 2000, witnessed an unforgettable match;

Whereas, The Center Grove Trojans found themselves near defeat by the Muncie Central Bearcats for the second year in a row;

Whereas, Behind by seven points in the final game of the championship series, the Trojans' experience and poise took over;

Whereas, The Center Grove Trojans scored the final nine points in the third match of the championship series to defeat the Muncie Central Bearcats 17-19, 15-12, and 16-14;

Whereas, Center Grove was led by senior Jennifer Gandolph's 22 kills, senior Courtney Hedrick added 13, and sophomore Ashley Buckingham 12, while senior Kerri Byrum contributed 44 assists;

Whereas, The No. 1 ranked Trojans ended their championship season with a 36-2 record; and

Whereas, The members of the Center Grove girls volleyball team proved that a strong will to win and a united effort can overcome all obstacles—a valuable lesson that will aid the girls tremendously in later life: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to congratulate the Center Grove High School girls volleyball team on its first Class 4A volleyball state championship and wishes the players well in all their future endeavors.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the members of the Center Grove girls volleyball team: Lisa Harris, Jennifer Gandolph, Kristin Lay, Kerri Byrum, Lindsey Galloway, Brandi Grubb, Ashley Young, Carly Bachman, Brittany Hedrick, Ashley Buckingham, Courtney Hedrick, and Lauren Furry; and to coach Deb McClurg; assistant coaches Ann Gandolph, Amy Wingler, Chet Lewis, and George Dzelzitis; superintendent Dr. Al Long; principal Dr. James Mervilde; and the athletic director, Jon Zwiitt.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsors: Senators Garton and Borst.

House Concurrent Resolution 70

Representatives Buck, McClain, Tincher, xx introduced House Concurrent Resolution 70:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Indiana department of transportation to rename the Market Street Bridge in Logansport, Indiana, after Sergeant Glen G. Hosier.

Whereas, Sergeant Glen G. Hosier of the Indiana State Police was killed in the line of duty on April 26, 1971, while searching for a murder suspect;

Whereas, Throughout his career, Sergeant Hosier was guided by three enduring values: integrity, service, and professionalism—the credo of the Indiana State Police;

Whereas, For 65 years the men and women of the Indiana State Police have protected and served the people of Indiana;

Whereas, Sergeant Hosier, as well as all of the men and women of the Indiana State Police, deserves special recognition; and

Whereas, Sergeant Hosier gave his life protecting the citizens of the state of Indiana, for which there is no greater sacrifice: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the Indiana department of transportation to rename the Market Street Bridge in Logansport, Indiana, after Sergeant Glen Hosier.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the commissioner of the Indiana department of transportation and to the family of Sergeant Glen G. Hosier.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Weatherwax.

House Concurrent Resolution 71

Representative Thompson introduced House Concurrent Resolution 71:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating Tri-West High School, Lizton, Indiana, on its first place finish in the small school division in the Indiana Academic Decathlon competition.

Whereas, The Academic Decathlon is a team competition in which students match their intellects with students from other schools;

Whereas, Competitors are tested in ten categories: art, economics, essay, interview, language and literature, mathematics, science, social science, speech, and super quiz;

Whereas, The Academic Decathlon does not permit students to specialize in one particular area but encourages academic versatility by requiring participants to prepare for all ten events;

Whereas, Gold, silver, and bronze medals are awarded for individual events and total team scores with the state champions advancing to the national finals in Anchorage, Alaska;

Whereas, Each high school enters a team of nine students: three "A" or honor students, three "B" or scholastic students, and three "C" or varsity students;

Whereas, Honor students must have a grade point average between 3.75 and 4.0, scholastic students between 3.0 and 3.74, and varsity students, 2.9 and below;

Whereas, The Tri-West Academic Decathlon team placed first in the small school division of the Indiana Academic Decathlon competition;

Whereas, The Tri-West team is no stranger to victory, having won the title nine out of the last ten years, including eight in a row;

Whereas, Tri-West team members received the following individual awards in the 2001 competition: Honors Division: Jason Hanna, state champion in science and third place in economics; Christian Watness, state champion in music, literature, and economics, runner-up in art and all around 10 events, third place in science; Scholastic Division: David Bultman, third place in art; Brian Thomas, state champion in mathematics; Adam Love, state champion in speech and economics, runner-up in art, music and all around 10 events, third place in science and essay; Varsity Division: Aaron Cornwell, third place in science and mathematics;

Whereas, As a team, Tri-West was state champion in science, economics, super quiz (philosophy, psychology, and religion), runner-up in art, music, literature, and speech, third place in mathematics;

Whereas, Although team members put forth a tremendous effort in the preparation for this event, spending countless hours outside school, they still need support and help from friends, coaches, students, parents, and other supporters; and

Whereas, Excellence in academics speaks well for the educational system in Indiana, and the Tri-West High School Academic Decathlon team is one of the finest examples: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to congratulate Tri-West High School on its first place finish in the small school division of the Indiana Academic Decathlon competition and to wish team members well in the national competition in Anchorage, Alaska.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to team members Jason Hanna, Logan Scheiwe, Christian Watness, Adam Love, David Bultman, Brian Thomas, Bobby Coppadge, Aaron Cornwell, and Ed Klemen; coaches Eileen Lurker, Brad Gillum, Tom Clark, Tim Kern, Marge Emmert, Mark Frederick, and Kate Burnell; Marty Hufford, the principal of Tri-West Junior/Senior High School; and the superintendent of the school corporation.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator C. Lawson.

House Concurrent Resolution 72

Representatives Mannweiler and Day introduced House Concurrent Resolution 72:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Cathedral High School, Indianapolis, Indiana, girls basketball team on its Indiana High School Athletic Association Class 3A state championship.

Whereas, On Saturday, March 3, 2001, at Conseco Fieldhouse, the Cathedral High School Lady Irish girls basketball team won the Class 3A state championship for the second consecutive year with a 54-39 victory over Plymouth High School;

Whereas, This year's victory was especially impressive because the team was without senior forward Jill Corbett since February 2, when she broke her leg during practice;

Whereas, The Lady Irish are no strangers to the championship game, having played in the past three final games in three different buildings: Market Square Arena in 1999, Hinkle Fieldhouse in 2000, and Conseco Fieldhouse in 2001;

Whereas, The 2001 season was the best in the history of the Lady Irish, who won a school record 29 games;

Whereas, With the 2001 state title, the Lady Irish became only the seventh team in Indiana girls basketball history to claim back-to-back state titles;

Whereas, The Lady Irish are a very consistent basketball team, losing only one game in the last 30 starts, and that loss was to Class 4A Highland High School in the City Securities Hall of Fame Classic;

Whereas, The home court of the Lady Irish is one of the most difficult places in Indiana for an opponent to visit; the Lady Irish are undefeated there for three consecutive seasons, and have an overall three-year record of 83-3;

Whereas, For the third consecutive year, the Lady Irish have won the Indianapolis City Championship and sectional, regional and semistate championships; and

Whereas, Consistent excellence in any endeavor deserves the recognition of the citizens of the state of Indiana: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to congratulate the Cathedral High School girls basketball team on its recent Class 3A state championship, to commend the Lady Irish on the work ethic that led to this victory, and to wish the Lady Irish continued success in the future.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Lady Irish team members Chris Halstead, Annie O'Connor, Jennifer Peterson, Lauren Werner, Jazmin Zinnerman, Julie Malone, Ellen Rehme, Laura Cheesman, Kathleen Roesinger, Jill Corbett, Jessica Wright, Kara Allen, Asjah Zinnerman, Kaitlin Vogtner, Sarah Triller, Rachel Brockman, and Sharika Webb, head coach Linda Bamrick, assistant coaches Jodi Vaughan, Bob Stocksdaile, Laurie O'Brien, Pat Fagan, and Greg Bamrick, athletic director Denise Farrell, principal Reverend Patrick J. Kelly, and president Stephen Helmich.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Lubbers.

House Concurrent Resolution 73

Representatives Gregg and Frenz introduced House Concurrent Resolution 73:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating and honoring William R. Hopper on his tenure and accomplishments as principal of

Tecumseh-Harrison Elementary School, Vincennes, Indiana.

Whereas, Indiana takes great pride in the accomplishments of its educational institutions;

Whereas, Tecumseh-Harrison Elementary School, Vincennes, Indiana, has reached new heights of excellence and achievement during the 30-year tenure of principal William R. Hopper;

Whereas, During that time, William R. Hopper has been a preeminent leader and advocate for education in Indiana and the nation;

Whereas, Tecumseh-Harrison Elementary School has benefitted greatly by the high ideals, inspired vision, and steadfast sense of mission that have marked Mr. Hopper's tenure;

Whereas, Tecumseh-Harrison Elementary School's significant attainments during the time William R. Hopper was principal include many state and national awards, including the United States Department of Education's Blue Ribbon Award, Instructor Magazine's A+ School Award, Redbook Magazine's List of America's Best Elementary Schools, the National Council of English Teacher's Center of Excellence Award, the United States Department of Interior's Take Pride in America Award, the Indiana Arts Commission Governor's Arts Award, the International Reading Association's Exemplary Reading Award and many Indiana school improvement awards;

Whereas, The school's mission—to provide every child with academic success and instructional programs in which children can succeed by creating a child centered environment, to expect the best from each child and make each child special according to his or her unique gifts and abilities, to believe that setting high standards for students directly affects the quality of student achievement in the classroom, to believe that students have the right to learn and teachers have the right to teach in an environment of dignity and mutual respect that is non-threatening, exciting, and fosters creativity, to make the arts a part of the lives of its students with a visiting artist and artist in residency programs for more than 30 years—has been profoundly enhanced through William R. Hopper's leadership and commitment;

Whereas, As a lasting legacy of that leadership and commitment, Tecumseh-Harrison Elementary School undoubtedly will maintain its vital role in the 21st century in service to the state, the nation, and the world; and

Whereas, William R. Hopper plans to retire on June 1, 2001: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates Tecumseh-Harrison Elementary School Principal William R. Hopper for his distinguished tenure as principal and notes with respect and admiration his significant achievements that have had a lasting impact on Indiana education in a career in Indiana spanning more than 40 years.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to William R. Hopper, the superintendent of the Vincennes Community School Corporation, and the president of the Vincennes School Board.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Waterman.

House Concurrent Resolution 74

Representatives Welch and Kruzan introduced House Concurrent Resolution 74:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Indiana All-Star Boys Cross Country team.

Whereas, The top ten senior boys from across Indiana represented Indiana as members of the Indiana All-Star Boys Cross Country team;

Whereas, This team of outstanding runners competed against ten other state all-star teams in the Mid-East Meet in Ohio and placed first;

Whereas, As the name all-star implies, these ten athletes have reached the upper echelon of their sport and are truly stars on and off the field; and

Whereas, Top achievement in any category deserves special recognition: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to congratulate the members of the Indiana All-Star Boys Cross Country team on their selection to this prestigious team and to wish them well in their endeavors.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to team members Joe Dillabaugh (Valparaiso), Bret Grover (Bluffton), Travis Moyer (Mishawaka Marian), Aaron Harding (Warren Central), Chase Christy (Zionsville), Robert Smitson (Brebeuf Jesuit), Aaron Fisher (Franklin Central), Eric Redman (North Central), Charlie Koeppen (Carmel), and David Welch (Bloomington North), and coaches Jay White (Portage), Doug Snyder (New Prairie), Joni Sander (Pike), Scott Lidskin (Westfield), Carl Wagner (Martinsville), and Darrell Kingery (Clarksville).

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Simpson.

House Concurrent Resolution 75

Representative Murphy introduced House Concurrent Resolution 75:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Aaron Fisher for winning his third straight IHSAA Boys Cross Country Championship.

Whereas, Aaron Fisher won his third straight individual state championship at the 55th Annual IHSAA Boys Cross Country State Finals held on November 4, 2000;

Whereas, Aaron Fisher is the first person to win three straight individual championships in IHSAA Boys Cross Country;

Whereas, Aaron Fisher completed the race in 15 minutes and 12 seconds which is a record for this particular 3.1 mile course;

Whereas, Aaron Fisher was named to both the 1999 and 2000 All-State Cross Country Teams;

Whereas, Aaron Fisher is a senior at Franklin Central High School; and

Whereas, Aaron Fisher has demonstrated the dedication and hard work that being an All-State athlete requires and has gained valuable experience that will only serve to help him in his future endeavors: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to congratulate Aaron Fisher for having won his third straight IHSAA Boys Cross Country State Championship.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Aaron Fisher and his family, to the coach of Franklin Central Cross Country Team and the principal of Franklin Central High School.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Miller.

House Concurrent Resolution 76

Representatives Steele and Denbo introduced House Concurrent Resolution 76:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring world renowned stone carver, Frank Arena, Jr.

Whereas, Frank Anthony Arena, Jr. was born on September 14, 1899 in Brooklyn, New York;

Whereas, He was the son of Italian immigrant Frank Arena, Sr. and Mary Josephine Cox;

Whereas, He became an apprentice under his father at age 16 as a stone carver;

Whereas, Because his father noticed such great talent in Frank, Jr. he decided to use him almost exclusively for the sculpturing of models used for the carvings;

Whereas, In the 1920's he traveled with his father to do carvings in Chicago and Milwaukee;

Whereas, On September 25, 1939, Frank, Jr. married Mildred MacDonald;

Whereas, Frank and Mildred had four children: Cosmo Joseph (Joe), Donna, Michael and Frances. Following these were seven grandchildren: Gary Michael Bridwell, Marianne Arena, Stephen Arena, Mandy Arena, Anthony Arena, Krista Bridwell and Samuel Arena and also three great grandchildren: Jared Bridwell, Jacob Bridwell and Joseph Arena;

Whereas, Frank worked on carvings off and on until World War II;

Whereas, He resumed stone carving in the early 1950's traveling to such places as Detroit, Michigan, Patterson, New Jersey, Louisville, Kentucky and Texas;

Whereas, During the 1950's Frank contracted to make several models and drawings;

Whereas, He retired at age 65 in 1964;

Whereas, His retirement did not last long as he took the job to restore the defaced Joe Palooka statue which is now located in front of the Oolitic Town Hall;

Whereas, He was then commissioned to restore heads on two statues in Springfield, Kentucky and he also assisted in the restoration of a statue in London, England;

Whereas, In 1975, he was approached by the Bedford Bicentennial Committee to make a model to half-scale of the Washington Crossing the Delaware statue which was based on the famous painting by Lutz. This model was for the purpose of carving a full-scale stone statue which would be Bedford's gift for the Bicentennial. Frank did the carving of this statue as well, which was finished in 1976 and placed in a park at Washington Crossing, Pennsylvania;

Whereas, Frank was awarded the Outstanding Senior Citizen of Indiana in 1976 and was also given the honor of being the Grand Marshall of Bedford's Limestone Festival Parade that year. Several years later, he was the Grand Marshall once again;

Whereas, Soon after the Bicentennial project, Frank was commissioned by the Indiana Limestone Company under the leadership of John Tucker to carve a total of 240 plaques from photographs of various personalities including: Presidents Ronald Reagan and George H. Bush, Senator Richard Lugar, Governor Bowen, TV weatherman Willard Scott, comedian Jonathan Winters, coach Bob Knight, actor Claude Akins and local basketball star Damon Bailey;

Whereas, Located in the foyer of the Lawrence County Courthouse is Frank's final work: a commemorative memorial saluting the men and women who served in the Persian Gulf War. He was an assistant on this project at the age of 94 with Lou Beretta;

Whereas, He was honored nationwide for his work, but yet still remained a humble and common man until he died;

Whereas, He died January 7, 2001 exactly 16 months after the death of his wife of almost 60 years; and

Whereas, Frank Arena, Jr. is remembered by his family for who he was more than what he did: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors world renowned stone carver, Frank Arena, Jr.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the Indiana House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to each of the four children of Frank and Mildred Arena.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Skillman.

House Concurrent Resolution 77

Representatives Foley and Frizzell introduced House Concurrent Resolution 77:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Alexandra Douglass on her accomplishments in the art of karate and kobudo.

Whereas, Alexandra Douglass, a sophomore at Center Grove High School, Greenwood, Indiana, is a four time national karate champion and a two time Junior Olympic champion, and she holds a first degree black belt in karate and kobudo;

Whereas, Alexandra Douglass recently participated in the Indiana state karate tournament, earning a first place in kumite (sparring) and kata (forms) and a second place in kobudo (long weapons);

Whereas, Alexandra Douglass has also participated in the Ohio state karate tournament where she took first place in kumite, kata, and kobudo;

Whereas, In the Chicago regional tournament, Alexandra placed first in kobudo and kata and second in kumite;

Whereas, Karate is a family matter for the Douglass family with Alexandra's mother, Lise, also earning a first degree black belt;

Whereas, Alexandra began taking karate lessons 5 1/2 years ago and finds her training in ballet to be very helpful because many karate movements require a tremendous amount of grace and control;

Whereas, Karate has held Alexandra's interest over the past five years because she "likes the competition and it's an unusual sport" and also is an excellent way to relieve stress;

Whereas, In addition to her prowess in karate, Alexandra is an A honor roll student, an award winning artist, a member of the Japanese Club, and is starting a club for Japanese animation and role playing with a fellow Center Grove student; and

Whereas, Excellence such as this deserves special recognition: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to express its pride in the accomplishments of Alexandra Douglass in karate, academics, and the arts. Alexandra has accomplished much in her short life, and the members of the Indiana General Assembly are confident that the future holds great things for this remarkable young woman.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Alexandra Douglass and her family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsors: Senators Garton and Borst.

The Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore yielded the gavel to the Speaker.

House Concurrent Resolution 78

Representatives Becker, Hasler, Avery, Weinzapfel, and Stilwell introduced House Concurrent Resolution 78:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Melvin Kallenbach for his many contributions to the citizens of southern Indiana.

Whereas, Melvin Kallenbach is a businessman with a strong commitment to civic service;

Whereas, Melvin founded Mel-Kay Electric 50 years ago in Evansville, Indiana;

Whereas, Mel-Kay Electric has established a reputation as one of southern Indiana's leading electrical contractors;

Whereas, As Melvin Kallenbach's business prospered, he wanted to share his good fortune with the underprivileged and needy in his community;

Whereas, Over the years, Melvin has become known for his contributions to charitable institutions and hospitals; and

Whereas, Melvin Kallenbach was not content to enjoy his own success, but wanted to share it with others and to make their lives easier and more pleasant: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to thank Melvin Kallenbach for his many contributions to the community of Evansville and to the citizens of southern Indiana.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Melvin Kallenbach and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsors: Senators Server and L. Lutz.

House Concurrent Resolution 79

Representative Atterholt introduced House Concurrent Resolution 79:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Veterans of Company D (Ranger), 151st Infantry (Airborne), Indiana Army National Guard.

Whereas, The Veterans of Company D (Ranger), 151st Infantry (Airborne), Indiana Army National Guard, will dedicate "Drop Zone Smith" at their Annual Reunion, August 10-12, 2001 at Camp Atterbury, Indiana;

Whereas, Company D (Ranger), 151st Infantry (Airborne), Indiana Army National Guard, was the single most decorated Army Infantry Company of any single year of units that served in the Vietnam Conflict, receiving a total of 538 decorations, including 19 Silver Star Medals; 1 Soldiers Medal; 123 Bronze Star Medals, including 88 with "V" device for Valor; 101 Purple Heart Medals; 111 Air Medals; and 183 Army Commendation Medals, including 29 with "V" device for Valor;

Whereas, These courageous sons of Indiana provided Long Range Patrol capabilities to US forces in Long Khanh and Bien Hoa Provinces at a considerable numeric disadvantage to the North Vietnamese/Viet Cong forces, fielding 573 patrols, 134 separate observations, and 94 combat engagements; and

Whereas, On November 26, 1969, Company D (Ranger), 151st Infantry (Airborne), Indiana Army National Guard, returned home to a grateful State and Nation: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors these "Hoosier Heroes" for their selfless service to the State of Indiana and the United States of America on the occasion of the Dedication of "Drop Zone Smith", in memory of SGT Robert T. Smith who was killed in action on April 12, 1969, in the Republic of Vietnam; who along with Indiana Rangers SP4 Charles K. Larkins, SP4 Bishop "Skip" Baranowski, SP4 Peter F. Fegatelli, 1LT George L. Kleiber, and 1LT Kenneth T. Cummings, gave their last full measure of devotion in

making the ultimate sacrifice for the freedom we Americans now enjoy.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit one copy to each member of the Indiana Congressional Delegation, one copy to Representative James D. Atterholt and one copy to Mr. Richard Wilson.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsors: Senators Wyss and Craycraft.

House Resolution 51

Representative Summers introduced House Resolution 51:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION urging Indiana school corporations to require high school students to provide a record of an electrocardiogram (EKG) that reflects a normal heart rhythm before the student participates in an extracurricular school athletic program.

Whereas, protecting the health of our high school students is of utmost importance;

Whereas, high school students are already required to have a physical exam taken before they are allowed to participate in student athletics;

Whereas, student athletics are an important part of many students' high school experience;

Whereas, having an electrocardiogram as part of the physical exam on record may prevent serious injury or death to students with heart problems: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That school corporations in the state of Indiana are urged to require student athletes to provide a record of at least one twelve lead electrocardiogram prior to participating in the extracurricular athletic program.

SECTION 2. The governing body of the school corporation is urged to adopt the following standards for each electrocardiogram submitted: (1) the electrocardiogram provided should have been taken since the student was in the eighth grade and (2) the electrocardiogram should reflect a normal heart rhythm.

SECTION 3. The Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Commissioner of the Indiana High School Athletic Association.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 52

Representative Oxley introduced House Resolution 52:

A RESOLUTION honoring David Schwartz.

Whereas, David Schwartz and his wife, Peggy, along with their daughter, Leeann, reside near Bretzville, Indiana;

Whereas, In addition to Leeann, David and Peggy have two married daughters, Andrea Egloff and Michelle Weyer;

Whereas, David Schwartz joined the Jasper Cabinet Company in 1969 as an industrial engineer;

Whereas, David worked his way up the managerial ladder at Jasper Cabinet, serving as vice president and general manager of operations before being named president in 1994;

Whereas, David takes great pride in the accomplishments of Jasper Cabinet Company and in the work of its master craftsmen;

Whereas, Jasper Cabinet Company, which was established in 1904, has developed into the world's leading producer of top-quality curio cabinets, secretaries, desks, entertainment furniture, gun cabinets, chests, and other accent furniture; and

Whereas, Southern Indiana craftsmen such as David Schwartz take pride in their work, and the furniture produced under the guidance of David Schwartz is a fine example of the level of quality achieved by the craftsmen at Jasper Cabinet Company: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to recognize David Schwartz for his outstanding guidance of one of southern Indiana's most honored companies.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to David Schwartz and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 53

Representative Frizzell introduced House Resolution 53:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring and commending Mr. John H. Hendley, Clan Elder, the Francis Marion Hendley Clan, branch of The Hendley Family Association, Inc. of Tennessee, on the occasion of his retirement, and 75th birthday, May 28, 2001.

Whereas, John Haydon Hendley, was born in the mid 1920's near Clementsville, Tennessee;

Whereas, John H. Hendley was the 54th person to join The United Methodist Church of Bowling Green, Kentucky, Warren County in 1942;

Whereas, John H. Hendley, settled in Johnson County, Indiana in 1943 and married Miss Opal Mae McWhorter of Clinton County, Kentucky on July 17, 1950 at the Christian Parsonage in Trafalgar. They had five children: Mr. William H. Hendley of Indianapolis; Mr. Fred A. Hendley of Morgantown; Mrs. Patricia A. Botts and Ms. Sharon E. Hagan of Franklin and Ms. Sheila K. Hendley of St. Petersburg, Florida;

Whereas, John H. Hendley and family lived at various places in Johnson County through the years from 1950 to 1967, and have since remained permanent residents of Franklin;

Whereas, John H. Hendley started working at Arvin Industries, Inc. of Franklin in 1954 and retired with 36 years of service on February 28, 1989. He was a member of Local 2993, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, AFL-CIO;

Whereas, John H. Hendley, during his working years, was a supportive parent of Troop 269, Boy Scouts of America;

Whereas, John H. Hendley and his wife were supporters of the Tennessee Monument Commission, Inc. of Tennessee and the Anita, Indiana Historical Marker project;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley supported Franklin College of Indiana, by arranging matching donations through payroll deductions at work;

Whereas, John H. Hendley, ascended to the honored position of Clan Elder of the Francis Marion Hendley Clan, eldest of his branch of the Hendley Family Association, Inc. of Tennessee on August 24, 1998 and was commissioned a Kentucky Colonel by Kentucky Governor Paul E. Patton on October 6, 1998 and a Tennessee Ambassador of Goodwill, by Tennessee Governor Don Sundquist on October 24, 1998; and

Whereas, John H. Hendley was honored by Mayor Herschel E. Cook on the occasion of the 175th anniversary of the founding of the City of Franklin, by declaring October 24, 1998 as Hendley Family Day in the City of Franklin; Therefore:

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the House of Representatives honors and commends Mr. John H. Hendley, a life long resident of the Hoosier state, for his contributions as a productive and conscientious member of society.

SECTION 2. That the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit two copies of this Resolution to The Hendley Family Association, Inc., 3031 Mill Pond Lane., Silver Point, Tennessee 38582.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 54

Representative Frizzell introduced House Resolution 54:

A RESOLUTION memorializing Emerson Holmes Hendley, Chief Elder of The Hendley Family Association, Inc.

Whereas, Emerson Holmes Hendley, son of the former Lettie Delmas Claspell of Glasgow, Kentucky (Barren County) and Berlin Holmes Hendley of Fountain Run, Kentucky (Monroe County), was born January 4, 1922, at Fountain Run, Kentucky, near New Design Church;

Whereas, Emerson Holmes Hendley moved with his family to Indianapolis, Indiana, in 1924, where he started school at Public School 47 on the near westside;

Whereas, Emerson Holmes Hendley attended Emerich Manual Training High School located at the Union Street building near downtown and graduated in 1939;

Whereas, While attending high school, Mr. Hendley spent two years in the Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps (JROTC);

Whereas, Emerson Holmes Hendley served in the United States Army during World War II, enlisting on October 23, 1941;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley was sent to Camp Croft, South Carolina, for basic training under the command of Lieutenant General Clarence R. Huebner;

Whereas, Upon completion of basic training, Mr. Hendley served with the 82nd Airborne Division and the 830th Coastal Guard Artillery Regiment, with which his duties were to protect the Chesapeake Bay naval ports from enemy submarine invasion;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley was honorably discharged from the Army on June 11, 1946, with the American Theater Service Medal, the Good Conduct Medal, and the World War II Victory Medal;

Whereas, On April 13, 1943, Emerson married the former Sarah Belle Brown of Wan, Virginia, a union that resulted in five children: Stephen, Carol Ann, Ronald, Vernon Lee, and Herbert Emerson;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley began his career in the auto body repair business at General Body Man Shop in Indianapolis, Indiana, in 1946;

Whereas, In 1952, Mr. Hendley and his family moved to Gloucester, Virginia, where he spent the next nine years with Bell Motors, a supplier of military vehicles during World War II;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley was a member of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary's Search and Rescue Wing from 1957 through 1970, serving as a Wing Commander of the 5th District for two terms, and often used his own airplane on missions;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley was elected the first vice president of The Hendley Family Association, Inc., on November 22, 1975, serving with distinction from 1976 through 1977;

Whereas, Mr. Hendley ascended to the honored position of Clan Elder (the 4th) of The William Meredith Hendley Clan, eldest of his branch of The Hendley Family Association, Inc., on April 13, 1987, and was commissioned a Kentucky Colonel by Kentucky Governor Wallace G. Wilkinson on August 15, 1988, and issued a Certificate of Recognition by Virginia Governor George Allen on May 16, 1995;

Whereas, Emerson Holmes Hendley ascended to the highest honor of Chief Elder (the 5th) of The Hendley Family Association, Inc. (eldest of both branches of the Association) on December 6, 1992, and was issued a Certificate of Recognition by Governor George Allen of the Commonwealth of Virginia on June 16, 1995, in honor of becoming the family patriarch; and

Whereas, Emerson Holmes Hendley passed away on August 24, 1998, and a memorial service was held at Gloucester Point Baptist Church where Mr. Hendley was a member: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to pay a final tribute to one of its native sons and convey its sincere sympathy

to his family and the family association of which he was patriarch.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Sarah Belle Hendley; Stephen Todd Hendley (Stephen Sr.'s son); Ronald Andrew Hendley, vice president, The Hendley Family Association, Inc.; Carol Ann Eubank, member, board of directors, The Hendley Family Association, Inc.; Vernon Lee Hendley; Herbert Emerson Hendley; Edna L. Tolbert (sister), Chief Elder, The Hendley Family Association, Inc.; Sarah J. Stafford (sister), member, board of directors, The Hendley Family Association, Inc.; Edith L. Kirk (sister), Clan Elder, The William Meredith Hendley Clan; Donald E. Hendley (brother), chairman, The William Meredith Hendley Clan; the other eight brothers and sisters; the other six elected officials of The Hendley Family Association, Inc.; Paul E. Patton, governor of Kentucky; James S. Gilmore, III, governor of Virginia; David L. Williams, Kentucky Senate president; and Virginia State Senator Thomas K. Norment, Jr.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 55

Representatives Moses and Crawford introduced House Resolution 55:

A RESOLUTION recognizing Charles Redd for his service to the Democratic Party, the city of Fort Wayne, the state of Indiana, and civil rights causes.

Whereas, Charles B. Redd has spent his entire life in service to mankind;

Whereas, Charles B. Redd is a tireless fighter for equality and civil rights, both in the Democratic party and in everyday life;

Whereas, Charles B. Redd was born in Detroit, Michigan, on July 11, 1930, and attended West Virginia State College and the Detroit Institute of Technology;

Whereas, In September 1963, Charles moved to Indiana and was employed as a probation officer for the Marion County Juvenile Court;

Whereas, Mr. Redd later began working for the Urban League of Marion and, in 1968, went to work for the Urban League of Fort Wayne;

Whereas, While employed by the Urban League of Fort Wayne, Mr. Redd assisted the Interdenominational Ministerial Alliance and the Fort Wayne Branch of the NAACP in their service as advocates for public school desegregation and encouraged major industries to employ ex-offenders;

Whereas, Mr. Redd's crusade for equality did not stop there. He served as an administrator of the EEO and affirmative action programs for GTE and as the representative for the Vernon Jordan Reward Fund;

Whereas, Always a civic-minded person, Charles represented the 1st District on the Fort Wayne City Council from 1984 to 1992 and served as council president for two consecutive years;

Whereas, Charles B. Redd became interested in politics during the Depression when he assisted his parents by passing out literature in Detroit;

Whereas, Charles takes his responsibility in the democratic process very seriously and has voted in every election since 1951, when he became a registered voter while serving in the military;

Whereas, Although Charles has been a delegate to state and national conventions of the Democratic Party, he has, since 1988, focused primarily on encouraging the inclusion of African Americans, Hispanics, and economically disadvantaged groups in all levels of the political process and is currently the director of the Voter Information Center, Inc.;

Whereas, Always active in the Democratic Party, Charles is the retiring chairman of the Indiana Democratic African-American Caucus;

Whereas, Charles recently has been recognized as an outstanding

civil rights leader by the Democratic Party through the creation of the Charles Redd Honorary Fair Share Declaration, a list of goals for minority inclusion;

Whereas, Charles, who is technically retired, still leads a busy life, serving as president of the Ginger Bread House, as a member of the board of the Anthony Wayne Services, as treasurer of Headwaters Park Alliance, and as chairperson of the Fort Wayne Housing Authority; and

Whereas, The state of Indiana owe a great debt to this outstanding citizen for his tireless efforts to bring equality to all men: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to thank Charles Redd for the many contributions he has made to help further civil rights causes throughout the state of Indiana and for his untiring service to the city of Fort Wayne and the citizens of that city and the state of Indiana.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Charles Redd, his wife, Jacqueline, and his sons, Stephen and Matthew, and their families.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 56

Representative Foley introduced House Resolution 56:

A RESOLUTION commending Billy F. Hendley.

Whereas, Billy Frank Hendley, born May 31, 1938, at Hillsdale, Tennessee, is the oldest son of Wilbert "Wilby" J. Hendley of Pine Hill, Tennessee, and Ida May Taylor of Lafayette, Tennessee;

Whereas, In 1943, the Hendley family moved to Union Township, Johnson County, Indiana, where Billy attended school;

Whereas, On April 29, 1956, Billy volunteered for the Indiana Army National Guard where he served three consecutive enlistments: From 1956 to 1959 as an ordnance parts specialist, Headquarters & Company A of the 738th Ordnance Battalion, from 1959 to 1961 as an ordnance supply specialist, Headquarters & Company A of the 738th Ordnance Battalion, and from 1961 to 1966 as a light truck driver, Company B, 38th Aviation Battalion;

Whereas, While serving in the Army National Guard, Billy attended the United States Army Quartermasters School at Ft. Lee, Virginia, where he was named honor graduate of the Canvas and Webbed Equipment Repair Course and was recognized on the front page of the Franklin Evening Star, Franklin, Indiana;

Whereas, Billy's career in the Army National Guard was eventful, having participated in a snow emergency called by Governor Roger D. Branigin and earning three Sharpshooter (Rifle) Badges;

Whereas, Billy was honorably discharged from the Army National Guard on June 16, 1966, with ten years of service and the rank of sergeant;

Whereas, From December 17, 1956, through November 29, 1965, Billy worked for the military department of Indiana (USPFO) as a trades helper, mechanic (jr.), painter, canvas and leather repairman, and automotive repairman;

Whereas, In addition to his other endeavors, Billy was an entrepreneur, establishing a Phillips 66 service station and Bill's Upholstery Shop in Franklin, Indiana;

Whereas, While establishing his businesses, Billy worked as a truck driver for Roadway Express, Inc. of Indianapolis for 18 years;

Whereas, Upon his retirement on May 31, 2000, Billy gave the upholstery business to his youngest son, Tim, who operates it from his farm in Morgantown, Indiana;

Whereas, On November 20, 1959, in a ceremony performed by the bride's father, the late Rev. Howard O. Snyder, Billy married Marilyn Jo Snyder;

Whereas, Billy and Marilyn have five children: Bryan D. Hendley of Edinburg, Indiana; Terri L. Webb of Franklin, Indiana; Steven W. Hendley and Timothy H. Hendley of Trafalgar, Indiana; and Carol M. Geter of Edinburg, Indiana;

Whereas, Billy F. Hendley held the first Hendley Family Reunion at his Banta, Indiana, home on Memorial Day 1972, and the first National Reunion at his home near Providence, Indiana, on Memorial Day 1975, an event that established the Hendley Family Association of Tennessee;

Whereas, Billy has played an important role in the establishment of the Hendley Family Association, serving on the first board of directors of the Hendley Family Association from 1976 to 1977; hosting the first reunion of the Francis Marion Hendley Clan branch of the Hendley Family Association, Memorial Day 1976, in honor of the United States Bicentennial; was the original signer of the association's charter, filed December 29, 1976, at the State Capitol in Nashville, Tennessee; and served as the second national president of the Hendley Family Association, Inc. of Tennessee from 1978 to 1979;

Whereas, Billy F. Hendley and his wife, Marilyn, supported the establishment of the Johnson County Association for Retarded Citizens at the Gateway Learning Center at Franklin, Indiana, in 1964. Their son, Steven, was born with Down's syndrome and attended the center from 1968 until his graduation in 1984;

Whereas, Billy F. Hendley is also active in his community, serving as a member of the Tennessee Monument Commission, Inc. of Tennessee, which was responsible for the placement of Tennessee Memorial at Gettysburg on July 3, 1982; the Anita, Indiana, Historical Marker Committee; Eli Lilly American Legion Post 374; the Indiana-Tennessee Civil War Memorial Commission; and the White River Valley Region Antique Car Club of America; and

Whereas, Billy F. Hendley has been the recipient of many awards and honors for his public service and community involvement, including the Honorary Lieutenant Governor citation from Governor Frank O'Bannon, a 30th wedding proclamation from Indianapolis Mayor William Hudnut, the National Guard lapel pin from Adjutant General Carl G. Farrell of Indiana, the Governor's Outstanding Tennessean Award from Governor Ned R. McWherter, and Tennessee Senate Resolution 84: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to honor and commend Billy Frank Hendley for his public service and his dedication to family and to wish him the best in retirement.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit two copies of this resolution to the Hendley Family Association, Inc., 3031 Mill Pond Lane, Silver Point, Tennessee 38582.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 57

Representatives Denbo and Frizzell introduced House Resolution 57:

A RESOLUTION recognizing the accomplishments of the Parents, Educators, and Professional Businesses (PEP) program.

Whereas, The Parents, Educators, and Professional Businesses (PEP) program was established in 1996 to help schools afford programs and equipment they could not otherwise afford;

Whereas, The PEP organization provides a means of generating funds for schools and students and good will recognition for businesses and retail establishments by returning to the community money to support education;

Whereas, Most of the work of the PEP organization is carried out by parents and volunteers from business and education who want to provide a better education for young Hoosiers and children throughout the United States;

Whereas, PEP was designed to benefit both students and schools;

Whereas, Students benefit from PEP through funds deposited into a family escrow account to be used for tuition to colleges and technical schools;

Whereas, Funds are accrued based on purchases made and vouchers collected by members and their families and friends who wish to participate;

Whereas, Schools benefit from PEP because a certain percentage of every dollar earned by a voucher is contributed to a participating school in a PEP chapter. These funds can be used for approved academic programs, including library books, scholarships, tutoring, incentive programs, educational trips, supplies, and other related school expenditures that benefit students;

Whereas, PEP also provides members with another way to earn credits toward their individual accounts through the tutoring program;

Whereas, The tutoring program was developed to help students improve their grade point averages (GPA) with help from other students, parents, and teachers;

Whereas, Students and parents may apply to the PEP educational advisory council for a tutoring position;

Whereas, To become a tutor, a student must be in grades 5 through 12 and have a GPA of 3.0, and successful candidates may tutor students in grades 2 through 12;

Whereas, The tutors are rewarded with individual scholarship funds for college or trade school of \$50 for each tenth of a point improvement in the GPA of each student they tutor for the year; and

Whereas, Efforts such as PEP are a unique and inventive way to improve the education of our young Hoosiers and children throughout the United States, and special recognition is called for in order to bring these worthwhile efforts to the forefront so that more children and schools may benefit: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to thank the members of the PEP organization for all their efforts on behalf of the school children of the state of Indiana and to encourage them to continue these efforts.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the members of the PEP organization.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 58

Representatives Dvorak, Budak, and Pelath introduced House Resolution 58:

A RESOLUTION recognizing the accomplishments of Arthur Roule.

Whereas, Arthur Roule has been a resident of LaPorte, Indiana, for 95 years;

Whereas, Mr. Roule attended the University of Chicago, received his law degree from the University of Notre Dame in 1930, and practiced law for over 50 years as a member of the LaPorte City and County Bar Association and as a member of the Indiana Bar Association;

Whereas, Throughout his adult life, Mr. Roule has given freely of his time to the citizens of LaPorte County and the city of LaPorte;

Whereas, Mr. Roule served LaPorte as city attorney in the 1940s;

Whereas, In addition to the legal services Mr. Roule provided LaPorte, he also served on the LaPorte County Election Board, was a founder of the LaPorte County Humane Society, and founded LaPorte County Beverage, which became Metro Beverages, Inc.;

Whereas, Mr. Roule is an active member and past exalted ruler of the LaPorte Benevolent Protective Order of Elks Lodge 396;

Whereas, Mr. Roule is also an active member and former trustee of the St. Joseph Catholic Church; and

Whereas, It is men like Arthur Roule who, throughout history, have helped to shape the state of Indiana and make the lives of its citizens better for having come in contact with him: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to recognize the accomplishments of Arthur Roule and to thank him for all he has given to the citizens of LaPorte and the state of Indiana.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Arthur Roule and his family.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 59

Representatives Cheney, Ayres, Kuzman, and C. Brown introduced House Resolution 59:

A RESOLUTION honoring Mike Aylesworth, Porter County Republican chairman, and Leon West, Porter County Democratic chairman.

Whereas, Members of the Republican Party believe that the freedom of each individual to pursue life, liberty, and happiness is the basic human value upon which all other traditional values are dependent;

Whereas, It was this dream of freedom for all individuals that gave birth to the Republican Party;

Whereas, This dream of freedom can be kept alive through the individual expression of choice at the polls;

Whereas, Mike Aylesworth works tirelessly as the Republican County chairman for Porter County to maintain this dream;

Whereas, Mike, through his efforts to ensure that the members of the Republican Party in Porter County exercise their right to express their opinions at the polls, reflects the spirit and principles embodied by the Republican Party;

Whereas, The Democratic Party believes that the right to choose who governs is one of the most dearly held American traditions;

Whereas, This belief is fundamental to of our system of government;

Whereas, Leon West embodies the spirit and principles of the Democratic Party;

Whereas, Leon West has faithfully served as the Democratic County Chairman for Porter County;

Whereas, Leon works tirelessly in this position to ensure that the members of the Democratic Party in Porter County exercise their right to express their opinions at the polls;

Whereas, Through the efforts of Mike Aylesworth and Leon West, Porter County enjoyed the highest voter turnout percentage in Indiana; and

Whereas, The Democratic and Republican parties of Porter County, like their chairmen, work to improve the lives of the people of Porter County: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to express its appreciation to Mike Aylesworth and Leon West for a job well done.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the families of Mike Aylesworth and Leon West, the Porter County Republican headquarters, and the Porter County Democratic headquarters.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 60

Representatives Crosby and Turner introduced House Resolution 60:

A RESOLUTION honoring Elizabeth Ramsey, Greenfield, Indiana.

Whereas, Elizabeth Ramsey ended her basketball career at the University of Indianapolis, as its all-time leading scorer and rebounder;

Whereas, Elizabeth, who scored a school record 1,887 points and had 973 rebounds, began her basketball career at the University of Indianapolis as a walk-on;

Whereas, Elizabeth was named to the All-Great Lakes Valley Conference team, making her the ninth player in school history to do so;

Whereas, Elizabeth has accumulated many honors throughout her college basketball career, including being named to the Dakronics All-Great Lakes Region second team three times and a Division II Bulleting honorable mention All-American for the 1999-2000 season;

Whereas, Elizabeth holds numerous basketball records at the University of Indianapolis, including most points scored in one game, 39, against Indiana Purdue Fort Wayne; most points in a season, 534; highest scoring average in a season, 21.4; highest scoring average in a career, 17.6; most free throws in a game, 14, against Kentucky Wesleyan; most free throw attempts in a game, 17, against Southern Indiana and Kentucky Wesleyan; and most 200 rebound seasons, four;

Whereas, Elizabeth is an outstanding political science/psychology major with a 3.2 cumulative grade point average, and earned Verizon Academic All-District honors in the 2000-01 season;

Whereas, Elizabeth is a three-time Academic All-Great Lakes Valley Conference selection and has been chosen to serve a student governor's office internship; and

Whereas, Excellence such as this deserves to be rewarded with special recognition: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to congratulate Elizabeth Ramsey on her outstanding academic and athletic career at the University of Indianapolis and to wish her continued success in all her future endeavors.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Elizabeth Ramsey and her parents, Ben and Mary Ramsey.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 61

Representatives C. Brown, Aguilera, Dumezich, Harris, Kuzman, Dobis, L. Lawson, V. Smith, and Stevenson introduced House Resolution 61:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION urging the Legislative Council to assign the Northwest Indiana Transportation Study Commission with evaluating air transportation issues and identifying all possible funding sources available to the Gary/Chicago Airport.

Whereas, The Northwest Indiana Transportation Study Commission studies the various aspects of transportation in Lake County, Porter County, LaPorte County, St. Joseph County, and Elkhart County;

Whereas, The Gary/Chicago Airport provides an air transportation facility for Northwest Indiana;

Whereas, The location of the Gary/Chicago Airport offers convenient access to Northwest Indiana and Chicago;

Whereas, The Gary/Chicago Airport Development Zone can provide economic revitalization, business expansion, and job creation for Northwest Indiana;

Whereas, The Gary/Chicago Airport is moving toward expansion and growth with renovations in the passenger terminal, maintenance hanger construction and master plan development;

Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Legislative Council is urged to assign the Northwest Indiana Transportation Study Commission with evaluating air transportation issues and identifying all possible funding sources available to the Gary/Chicago Airport.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 55

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 55, sponsored by Representative Richardson:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing Hamilton Southeastern High School senior Matt McDonald as one of America's exceptional high school team and United States team swimmers.

Whereas, Matt McDonald, a 17 year old senior from Hamilton Southeastern High School in Fishers, has established himself as a premier swimmer at the state high school level and at the national level;

Whereas, Training since the age of nine in Fishers, Matt has led his high school swimming team to prominence as team captain during both his junior and senior years;

Whereas, Matt has demonstrated his team leadership through victory as the three time state champion and state record holder of the 100 meter butterfly, the state champion of the 100 meter backstroke, and as a member of the state champion 200 meter medley relay;

Whereas, Matt has also been individually recognized for his accomplishments by receiving the Herman F. Keller Mental Attitude Award, and by being named as a three time Academic All-American and a 10 time First Team All-American;

Whereas, Due to his success at the high school level, Matt was invited to compete at the national and world levels as a member of the 2000-2001 Junior National team, as a United States Olympic Trials semi-finalist in the 100 meter butterfly, as a United States Olympic Trials qualifier in the 200 meter butterfly, and as the national record holder in the 100 meter butterfly; and

Whereas, Upon graduation, Matt intends to continue his success at the collegiate level when he attends Stanford University this fall: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly is extremely proud of the athletic accomplishments of Matt McDonald as one of the select swimmers in America.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit copies of this resolution to Matt McDonald; his mother, Arlene McDonald; his father, Scott McDonald; Hamilton Southeastern High School Head Coach Dan Johnson; and Southeastern Swim Club Coach Andy Pederson.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 56

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 56, sponsored by Representative Richardson:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing Hamilton Southeastern High School senior Phil Jones as one of America's outstanding high school and United States team divers.

Whereas, Phil Jones, a 17 year old senior from Hamilton Southeastern High School in Fishers, has attained great success and numerous accomplishments as one of this nation's premier amateur divers;

Whereas, Diving since the age of seven, Phil achieved state-wide success as a two time Kentucky state high school champion and state record holder;

Whereas, After moving to Indiana to complete his high school education at Hamilton Southeastern, Phil then set another state record as he went on to claim an Indiana state championship under Diving Coach John Wingfield and Head Coach Dan Johnson;

Whereas, In addition to his state championships, Phil also achieved great distinction as a three time high school All-American and as the 1999 high school National Champion;

Whereas, By virtue of his stellar success at the high school level, Phil was invited to compete at the national and world levels, becoming an eight time U.S. Junior National Champion and a three time U.S. team member at the Junior World Championships, where he is the current Junior World Champion on the 1 meter springboard and the Bronze Medalist on the 3 meter springboard;

Whereas, Most recently, Phil was recognized as a finalist for the 3 meter springboard competition at the U.S. Olympic 2000 trials and as a current member of the U.S. Senior National team training at the U.S. Diving Regional Training Center; and

Whereas, Upon graduation, Phil will continue his success at the collegiate level when he attends the University of Tennessee this fall: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly is extremely proud of the athletic accomplishments of Phil Jones as one of the premier amateur divers in America.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit copies of this resolution to Phil Jones; his mother, J.J. Jones; his father, Ron Jones; Hamilton Southeastern High School Head Coach Dan Johnson; and Hamilton Southeastern High School Diving Coach John Wingfield.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

The House recessed for the remarks of Richard Thornburgh, the former Governor of Pennsylvania and former U. S. Attorney General.

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The House recessed until the fall of the gavel.

RECESS

The House reconvened at 3:20 p.m. with the Speaker in the Chair.

Representative L. Lawson was present. Representative Herndon was excused for the rest of the day.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Rural Development, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 152, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 0.

LYTLE, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Human Affairs, to which was

referred Engrossed Senate Bill 216, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 3, line 13, delete "SECTION" and insert "**chapter**".

Page 3, between lines 13 and 14, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 2. IC 12-15-12-13 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 13. (a) The office and an entity with which the office contracts for the payment of claims shall accept claims submitted on any of the following forms by an individual or organization that is a contractor or subcontractor of the office:**

- (1) HCFA-1500.
- (2) HCFA-1450 (UB92).
- (3) American Dental Association (ADA) claim form.
- (4) Pharmacy and compound drug form.

(b) The office and an entity with which the office contracts for the payment of claims:

- (1) may designate as acceptable claim forms other than a form listed in subsection (a); and
- (2) may not mandate the use of a particular claim form.

SECTION 3. IC 12-15-13-7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 7. (a) The office and the entity with which the office contracts for the payment of claims shall accept claims submitted on any of the following forms by an individual or organization that is a contractor or subcontractor of the office:**

- (1) HCFA-1500.
- (2) HCFA-1450 (UB92).
- (3) American Dental Association (ADA) claim form.
- (4) Pharmacy and compound drug form.

(b) The office and the entity with which the office contracts for the payment of claims:

- (1) may accept claims submitted on forms other than a form listed in subsection (a); and
- (2) may not mandate the use of a particular claim form."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 216 as reprinted January 30, 2001.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

SUMMERS, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 338, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

STEVENSON, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Rural Development, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 344, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, between lines 14 and 15 begin a new paragraph and insert: "**Sec. 3. The minimum six (6) month period described in section 2 of this chapter begins the day written notice is sent by the marina operator to the last known address of the owner of the watercraft or personally delivered to the owner of the watercraft. If the notice is mailed, the marina operator shall send notice by certified mail, return receipt requested. Notice, by mail or personally delivered, must include a description of the watercraft and a conspicuous statement that the watercraft is at the marina without permission of the marina.**"

Page 1, line 15, delete "3" and insert "4".

Page 1, line 16, delete "at the bureau of" and insert "**for the name**

and address of the owner of the watercraft and the name and address of any person holding a lien or security interest on the watercraft. The marina operator shall conduct the search required by this subdivision in the following order:

(A) First, in the records of the state of registration as indicated on the exterior of the watercraft.

(B) Second, in the United States Coast Guard registration records maintained by the National Vessel Documentation Center.

(C) Third, in the records of the bureau of motor vehicles."

Page 1, delete line 17.

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 4.

Page 3, line 7, delete "4" and insert "5".

Page 3, line 10, delete "5" and insert "6".

Page 3, line 12, delete "6" and insert "7".

Page 3, line 19, delete "7" and insert "8".

Page 3, line 21, delete "excess shall be" and insert "**marina operator shall pay the excess in the following order:**

(1) For the satisfaction of obligations held by secured parties with respect to the watercraft, in the order in which security interests in the watercraft were perfected.

(2) To the owner of the watercraft."

Page 3, delete lines 22 through 23.

(Reference is to SB 344 as reprinted March 6, 2001.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

LYTLE, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Financial Institutions, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 345, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 14, nays 0.

BODIKER, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance, Corporations and Small Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 352, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

CROOKS, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 362, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

STEVENSON, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Insurance, Corporations and Small Business, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 405, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 1. IC 23-2-2.5-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 7. (a) Upon the entry of a stop order under section 6 of this chapter, the commissioner shall**

notify the ~~applicant~~ **franchisor**:

- (1) of ~~that the~~ entry ~~and of the stop order~~;
- (2) of the reasons ~~therefor for the stop order~~; and
- (3) that, upon receipt of a written request, the matter will be set down for hearing to commence within fifteen (15) days after receipt of such request, unless the ~~applicant~~ **franchisor** consents to a later date.

(b) If no hearing is requested or none is ordered by the commissioner, the ~~stop~~ order is effective until it is modified or vacated by the commissioner.

(c) If a hearing is requested or ordered, the commissioner, after notice and hearing, may modify or vacate the ~~stop~~ order."

Page 2, between lines 14 and 15, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 3. IC 23-2-2.5-11 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 11. ~~Applications for~~ **Registration notification forms**, registration renewal ~~statements~~, **forms**, and amendments thereto, shall be signed and verified by the franchisor.

SECTION 4. IC 23-2-2.5-12 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 12. If the commissioner finds that:

- (1) the ~~applicant~~ **franchisor** has failed to demonstrate that adequate financial arrangements have been made to fulfill obligations to provide real estate, improvements, equipment, inventory, training, or other items included in the offering; ~~and~~
- (2) the ~~escrow or impoundment of franchise fees is necessary and appropriate to protect prospective franchisees~~;

the commissioner may by ~~rule or~~ order require the escrow or impoundment of franchise fees and other funds paid by the franchisee until no later than the time of opening of the business of the franchisee. ~~if he finds that such requirement is necessary and appropriate to protect prospective franchisees~~."

Page 2, line 17, delete "by".

Page 2, line 17, after "notification" insert "**form filed**".

Page 3, line 1, strike "that".

Page 3, line 1, strike "applicant".

Page 3, line 1, after "applicant" insert "**franchisor**".

Page 3, line 2, delete ";" and insert "**of this chapter**";.

Page 3, line 3, strike "that".

Page 3, line 9, delete "its" and insert "**the franchisor's**".

Page 3, line 15, delete "application or".

Page 3, line 15, delete "by notification".

Page 3, line 29, delete "application or".

Page 3, line 29, delete "by notification".

Page 3, line 35, delete "application or".

Page 3, line 35, delete "by notification".

Page 4, between lines 7 and 8, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 7. IC 23-2-2.5-15 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 15. (a) Upon the entry of a stop order under section 14 ~~of this chapter~~, the commissioner shall notify the ~~applicant~~ **franchisor**:

- (1) of ~~that the~~ entry ~~and of the stop order~~;
- (2) of the reasons ~~therefor for the stop order~~; and
- (3) that, upon receipt of a written request, the matter will be set down for hearing to commence within fifteen (15) days after receipt of such request, unless the ~~applicant~~ **franchisor** consents to a later date.

(b) If no hearing is requested or none is ordered by the commissioner, the ~~stop~~ order is effective until it is modified or vacated by the commissioner.

(c) If a hearing is requested or ordered, the commissioner, after notice and hearing, may modify or vacate the ~~stop~~ order."

Page 4, line 10, after "14" insert "**of this chapter**".

Page 4, line 14, delete "notification." and insert "**notification form**".

Page 4, line 18, strike "an" and insert "**a**".

Page 4, line 19, strike "application for" and insert "**registration**".

Page 4, line 19, strike "of the registration" and insert "**form**".

Page 4, line 22, after "14" insert "**of this chapter**".

Page 4, line 27, strike "The".

Page 4, line 28, strike "renewal of a" and insert "**A**".

Page 4, line 28, after "registration" insert "**renewal form**".

Page 4, line 28, after "and" insert "**contain the**".

Page 4, line 31, strike "application" and insert "**form**".

Page 4, between lines 32 and 33, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 11. IC 23-2-2.5-22 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 22. The commissioner may accept and act upon the opinions, appraisals, or reports of any experts which may be presented by ~~an applicant a franchisor~~ or any interested party, on any question of fact concerning the franchises proposed to be offered or sold. The commissioner may also have any or all matters concerning those franchises investigated, appraised, passed upon or certified to ~~him the commissioner~~ by any experts selected by ~~him~~, **the commissioner**, at the expense of the ~~applicant~~ **franchisor**."

Page 4, line 35, strike "an application for" and insert "**a**".

Page 4, line 35, after "chapter" insert "**renewal form**".

Page 4, line 36, after "or" insert "**a**".

Page 4, line 36, delete "by".

Page 4, line 36, after "notification" insert "**form**".

Page 5, line 8, strike "Every applicant for".

Page 5, line 9, strike "registration of an" and insert "**Before a person may**".

Page 5, line 9, after "chapter" insert "**, the person**".

Page 5, line 12, strike "applicant's" and insert "**person's**".

Page 5, line 14, strike "applicant" and insert "**person**".

Page 5, line 14, strike "applicant's" and insert "**person's**".

Page 5, line 33, after "a" insert "**form for**".

Page 5, line 36, strike "renewal of".

Page 5, line 36, delete "by" and insert "**renewal form**".

Page 5, line 37, delete "notification".

Page 5, line 39, delete "proposed registration by notification" and insert "**registration notification form or registration renewal form**".

Page 6, between lines 1 and 2, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 15. IC 23-2-2.5-48 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 48. (a) All ~~applications, registration notification forms, registration renewal forms, applications to amend registrations~~, reports, and other papers and documents filed with the commissioner under this chapter shall be open to public inspection. The commissioner may ~~in his discretion~~, publish any information filed with ~~him~~ or obtained by ~~him~~, **the commissioner**. No provision of this chapter authorizes the commissioner or any of ~~his the commissioner's~~ assistants, clerks, or deputies to disclose any information withheld from public inspection except among themselves or when necessary or appropriate in a proceeding or investigation under this chapter or to other federal or state regulatory agencies. No provision of this chapter either creates or derogates from any privilege which exists at common law or otherwise when documentary or other evidence is sought under a subpoena directed to the commissioner or any of ~~his the commissioner's~~ assistants, clerks, or deputies.

(~~a~~) (b) It is unlawful for the commissioner or any of ~~his the commissioner's~~ assistants, clerks, or deputies to use for personal benefit any information which is filed with or obtained by the commissioner and which is not then generally available to the public.

(~~b~~) (c) Upon request, and at such reasonable charges as ~~he the commissioner~~ prescribes by rule, the commissioner shall furnish to any person photostatic or other copies (certified by ~~him the commissioner~~ if certification is requested) of any document which is retained as a matter of public record, except that ~~he the commissioner~~ shall not charge or collect any fee for photostatic or other copies of any document furnished to public officers for use in their official capacity.

(~~c~~) (d) The commissioner may destroy any registration ~~applications, notification forms~~, together with the files and folders, as useless or obsolete, four (4) years after the date of registration; provided that a permanent record shall be maintained of any disciplinary action taken by the commissioner and of all orders issued under this chapter.

(~~d~~) (e) Copies on microfilm or in other form which may be retained by the commissioner ~~in his discretion~~ of any records destroyed under this section shall be accepted for all purposes as equivalent to the

original when certified by the commissioner."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 405 as printed February 9, 2001.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

CROOKS, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 436, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

STEVENSON, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Rural Development, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 456, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, after line 15, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 2. IC 15-4-10-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 7. As used in this chapter, "market development" means:

- (1) to engage in research and educational programs directed toward increased utilization of corn;
- (2) to provide methods and means, including but not limited to public relations and other promotion techniques, for the maintenance of present markets for corn;
- (3) (1) to provide for the development of new or larger domestic and foreign markets for corn; and
- (4) to work toward the prevention, modification, or elimination of trade barriers that obstruct the free flow of corn;
- (2) to promote the production and marketing of renewable fuels and new technologies that use corn; and
- (3) to access federal government monies available to the state to further the market development activities described in subdivisions (1) and (2).

SECTION 3. IC 15-4-10-11.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 11.5. As used in this chapter, "unit" means eighty thousand (80,000) kernels.

SECTION 4. IC 15-4-10-12 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 12. (a) The Indiana corn marketing council is established.

(b) The council shall be composed of fifteen (15) members. ~~who~~ **The elected members from districts listed under section 16(a) of this chapter must be:**

- (1) ~~citizens~~ **of registered voters in Indiana;**
- (2) at least eighteen (18) years of age; and
- (3) producers.

(c) Each ~~elected~~ member of the council must reside in the district identified in section ~~16~~ **16(a)** of this chapter from which the member was elected.

(d) Each member of the council is entitled to reimbursement for traveling expenses and other expenses actually incurred in connection with the member's duties, as provided in the state travel policies and procedures established by the department of administration and approved by the state budget agency. However, council members are not entitled to any salary or per diem.

SECTION 5. IC 15-4-10-13 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 13. (a) The term of office of ~~a~~ **an elected or appointed** council member is three (3) years. A member's term of office expires at the end of the final marketing year in the term. However, a member continues in office until a successor who meets the qualifications set forth in section 12(b) of this chapter is elected.

(b) ~~A~~ **An elected or appointed** council member may not hold office for more than ~~two~~ **(2) three (3)** consecutive full terms.

SECTION 6. IC 15-4-10-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 14. (a) If ~~a~~ **an elected** member of the council ceases to meet one (1) or more of the qualifications set forth in section 12(b) of this chapter, the member's term of office terminates and the member's office becomes vacant.

(b) When ~~a~~ **an elected** council member's office becomes vacant before the expiration of the member's term of office, the council shall fill the vacancy by appointing a replacement member who meets the qualifications set forth in section 12(b) of this chapter. The appointee shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.

(c) **When the office of a council member appointed under section 16(c) of this chapter to represent first purchaser organizations becomes vacant before the expiration of the member's term of office, the director shall fill the vacancy by appointing a replacement member who represents a first purchaser organization. The appointee shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.**

(d) **When an appointed council member's office representing the general assembly becomes vacant before the expiration of the member's term of office, the commissioner of agriculture shall fill the vacancy by appointing a replacement member who represents the general assembly and is a member of the same political party as the appointed council member who vacated the office. The appointee shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.**

SECTION 7. IC 15-4-10-16 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 16. (a) One (1) council member shall be elected from each of the following districts:

DISTRICT 1. The counties of Lake, Newton, Jasper, ~~and~~ Benton,

~~DISTRICT 2: The counties of~~ Porter, LaPorte, Starke, White, and Pulaski.

DISTRICT 3: ~~2.~~ The counties of St. Joseph, Elkhart, Marshall, Kosciusko, ~~and~~ Fulton,

~~DISTRICT 4: The counties of~~ Carroll, Cass, Miami, and Wabash.

DISTRICT 5: ~~3.~~ The counties of LaGrange, Steuben, Noble,

DISTRICT 6: ~~4.~~ The counties of Montgomery, Fountain, Warren, ~~and~~ Tippecanoe,

~~DISTRICT 7: The counties of~~ Vermillion, Parke, Putnam, Vigo, Clay, and Owen.

DISTRICT 8: ~~5.~~ The counties of Clinton, Boone, Tipton, Howard, ~~and~~ Grant,

~~DISTRICT 9: The counties of~~ Hamilton, Madison, Hendricks, Marion, Hancock, Morgan, ~~and~~ Johnson,

~~DISTRICT 10: The counties of~~ Shelby, Rush, Bartholomew, and Decatur.

DISTRICT 11: ~~6.~~ The counties of Blackford, Jay, Delaware, Henry, Randolph, Wayne, Fayette, and Union.

DISTRICT 12: ~~7.~~ The counties of Sullivan, Greene, Knox, Daviess, ~~and~~ Martin,

~~DISTRICT 13: The counties of~~ Gibson, Pike, Dubois, Posey, Vanderburgh, Warrick, and Spencer.

DISTRICT 14: ~~8.~~ The counties of Monroe, Brown, Lawrence, Jackson, Orange, Washington, Perry, Crawford, Harrison, and Floyd.

DISTRICT 15: ~~9.~~ The counties of Franklin, Jennings, Jefferson, Ripley, Dearborn, Ohio, Clark, Switzerland, and Scott.

DISTRICT 10. All counties in Indiana.

(b) **The dean of the school of agriculture at Purdue University or the dean's designee shall serve as an ex officio member of the council.**

(c) **The director shall appoint two (2) representatives of first purchaser organizations to serve as members of the council.**

(d) **The commissioner of agriculture shall appoint two (2) members of the general assembly to serve as members of the council. These appointed members shall at all times be members of different political parties. Notwithstanding any other law, the members appointed under this section are entitled to receive the per diem of members of the general assembly for time spent in attendance at the meetings of the council. Per diem of these members shall be paid by**

the council upon approval of the director.

SECTION 8. IC 15-4-10-18 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 18. (a) The ballot for the election of a district council member must bear the name of each producer who:

- (1) meets the qualifications set forth in section 12(b) of this chapter; and
- (2) files with the director, before June 16 of the year of the election, a petition in support of candidacy signed by ~~seventy-five (75)~~ **ten (10)** other producers who reside in the district.

(b) The director shall provide petition forms upon request and shall make forms available at cooperative extension service offices located in the district. The director shall determine the position of names on the ballot by drawing lots and shall provide the producers who have qualified to have their names on the ballot with advance notice of the time and place of the drawing.

(c) No names other than the names of the producers who have qualified under this subsection may be printed on the ballot by the director. A name may not be written in on the ballot by a producer.

SECTION 9. IC 15-4-10-22 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 22. (a) The council shall do the following:

- (1) Elect a chairman, vice chairman, secretary, treasurer, and other officers the council considers necessary.
- (2) Employ personnel and contract for services that are necessary for the proper implementation of this chapter.
- (3) Establish accounts in adequately protected financial institutions to receive, hold, and disburse funds accumulated under this chapter.
- (4) Bond the treasurer and such other persons as necessary to ensure adequate protection of funds received and administered by the council.
- (5) Authorize the expenditure of funds and the contracting of expenditures to conduct proper activities under this chapter.
- (6) Annually establish priorities and prepare and approve a budget consistent with the estimated resources of the council and the scope of this chapter.
- (7) Provide for an independent audit and make the results of the audit available to all interested persons.
- (8) Annually publish, at the same time as the results of the audit, an activities and financial report, present this report to the budget agency and the budget committee, and make this report available to all interested persons.
- (9) Procure and evaluate data and information necessary for the proper implementation of this chapter.
- (10) Formulate and execute assessment procedures and methods of collection.
- (11) Establish procedures to refund to a producer any assessment paid by the producer if the producer requests a refund.
- (12) Receive and investigate, or cause to be investigated, complaints and violations of this chapter and take necessary action within its authority.
- (13) Take any other action necessary for the proper implementation of this chapter.

(b) Eight (8) affirmative votes are required for the council to take action.

SECTION 10. IC 15-4-10-24 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 24. (a) The council shall pay all expenses incurred under this chapter with money from the assessments remitted to the council under this chapter. ~~by first purchasers.~~

(b) The council may invest all money it receives under this chapter, including assessments, gifts, and grants, in any way allowed by law for public funds.

(c) The council may expend money from assessments and from investment income not needed for expenses for the purpose of market development.

(d) The council may not use money received, collected, or accrued under this chapter for any purpose other than the implementation of this chapter.

(e) The council may not expend more than ten percent (10%) of the money it receives under this chapter for administrative expenses.

SECTION 11. IC 15-4-10-26 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 26. (a) Except as provided in subsection ~~(b)~~ (c) concerning seed corn, an assessment of ~~one-half cent (\$0.005)~~ **one-half of one percent (0.5%) of the sale price** per bushel is ~~imposed~~ **permitted** on all corn grown and sold in Indiana. The assessment may be imposed and collected on a quantity of corn only once, **and shall be collected by the first purchaser unless the producer exercises the option under subsection (b) to be excluded from the assessment.** The rate of the assessment imposed by this section may be increased only by the general assembly.

(b) **In conjunction with the producer's first settlement with the first purchaser after June 30, 2001, the first purchaser shall make available to the producer the form the producer may use to exercise the option to be excluded from the assessment. The form must inform the producer of the option to be excluded. If the producer desires to be excluded from the assessment, the producer shall complete and sign a form, in writing, indicating the producer's desire to be excluded from the assessment permitted by subsection (a). The first purchaser shall keep a record of each producer's desire to be excluded from the assessment, as indicated on the completed form. A form completed by a producer shall remain in effect until repealed in writing by the producer and delivered to the first purchaser. The office of the commissioner of agriculture shall prescribe the form to be used under this subsection and distribute the form to the first purchaser before July 1, 2001. The council shall reimburse the office of the commissioner of agriculture for the costs of preparation and distribution of the forms required by this subsection from the funds the council receives under this chapter.**

~~(b) (c) An assessment of one-half cent (\$0.005) per bag one dollar (\$1) per unit is imposed on all seed corn sold in Indiana by a qualified seed retailer who sold more than fifty thousand (50,000) units of seed corn in the previous calendar year. An assessment of fifty cents (\$0.50) per unit is imposed on all seed corn sold in Indiana by a qualified seed retailer who sold more than ten thousand (10,000) units but less than fifty thousand one (50,001) units of seed corn in the previous calendar year. The assessment on a quantity of seed corn shall be collected and remitted by the qualified seed retailer. For purposes of this chapter, a qualified seed retailer of a quantity of seed corn is the owner of that seed corn when the seed corn is sold at the first point of sale. is imposed on all seed corn sold in Indiana. The assessment on a quantity of seed corn shall be collected and remitted by the seed retailer. For the purposes of this chapter, the retailer of a quantity of seed corn is the first purchaser of that seed corn.~~

~~(c) The~~ (d) **If the producer does not indicate the desire to be excluded from the assessment permitted under subsection (a) by following the procedure described in subsection (b), the first purchaser of a quantity of corn shall deduct the assessment on the corn from the sum of money to be paid to the producer based on the sale of the corn. A first purchaser shall accumulate assessments collected under this subsection throughout each of the following periods:**

- (1) January, February, and March.
- (2) April, May, and June.
- (3) July, August, and September.
- (4) October, November, and December.

~~(d) (e)~~ (e) **At the end of each period, the first purchaser shall remit to the council all assessments collected during the period. A first purchaser who remits all assessments collected during a period within fifteen (15) days after the end of the period is entitled to retain three percent (3%) of the total of the assessments as a handling fee.**

(f) The assessment collected under subsection (c) shall be remitted to the council twice yearly. Assessments collected beginning January 1 through June 30 of each year shall be remitted to the council by August 14 of that year. Assessments collected beginning July 1 through December 31 shall be remitted to the council by February 14 of the following year. A qualified seed retailer who remits all assessments collected during a period within fifteen (15) days after the end of the period is entitled to retain three

percent (3%) of the total assessments as a handling fee for assessments remitted.

(g) **The authority to collect assessments under subsections (a) and (c) expires July 1, 2006.**

SECTION 12. IC 15-4-10-27 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 27. (a) A first purchaser **and a qualified seed retailer** shall keep detailed records of all assessments collected and remitted under this chapter.

(b) Upon request, a first purchaser **and a qualified seed retailer** shall supply the council with any information from records kept under subsection (a).

SECTION 13. IC 15-4-10-30 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 30. (a) If a first purchaser **or a qualified seed retailer** fails to remit the assessments collected during a period defined in section ~~26(e)~~ **26** of this chapter within forty-five (45) days after the end of the period, the council shall contact the first purchaser **or the qualified seed retailer** and allow the first purchaser **or the qualified seed retailer** to present comments to the council concerning:

- (1) the status and amount of the assessments due; and
- (2) any reasons why the council should not bring legal action against the first purchaser **or the qualified seed retailer**.

(b) After allowing a first purchaser **or a qualified seed retailer** the opportunity to present comments, the council:

- (1) shall adjust the amount of the assessments due, if the first purchaser's **or qualified seed retailer's** comments reveal that the council's figure is inaccurate; and
- (2) may assess a penalty against the first purchaser **or qualified seed retailer** of no more than ten percent (10%) of the amount of any assessments not remitted within forty-five (45) days after the end of the period.

(c) If a first purchaser **or a qualified seed retailer** fails to remit assessments after being allowed to present comments under subsection (a) or to pay any penalty assessed under subsection (b), the council may bring a civil action against the first purchaser **or the qualified seed retailer** in the circuit, superior, or municipal court of any county. The action shall be tried and a judgment rendered as in any other proceeding for the collection of a debt. In an action under this subsection, the council may obtain:

- (1) a judgment in the amount of all unremitted assessments and any unpaid penalty; and
- (2) an award of the costs of bringing the action.

SECTION 14. THE FOLLOWING ARE REPEALED [EFFECTIVE MAY 15, 2001]: IC 15-4-10-28; IC 15-4-10-29.

SECTION 15. [EFFECTIVE MAY 15, 2001] (a) **The definitions in IC 15-4-10 apply to this SECTION.**

(b) **Notwithstanding IC 15-4-10-17, before June 1, 2001, the director shall notify producers of each district of the impending initial election and the procedure and deadlines to have a producer's name printed on the ballot by:**

- (1) **publishing a notice in a statewide agricultural publication;**
- (2) **publishing a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in each county; and**
- (3) **making the information available to the news media in each district.**

(c) **Notwithstanding IC 15-4-10-13, as amended by this act, the initial terms of office for council members are as follows:**

- (1) **Council members from district 1, district 4, district 7, and district 10 serve terms of three (3) years.**
- (2) **Council members from district 2, district 5, and district 8 serve terms of two (2) years.**
- (3) **Council members from district 3, district 6, and district 9 serve terms of one (1) year.**
- (4) **One (1) council member appointed under IC 15-4-10-16(c), as added by this act, serves a term of three (3) years.**
- (5) **One (1) council member appointed under IC 15-4-10-16(c), as added by this act, serves a term of two (2) years.**

(d) **This SECTION expires September 2, 2003."**

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 456 as printed February 9, 2001.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 0.

LYTLE, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 457, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

STEVENSON, Chair

Report adopted.

ENGROSSED SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

Engrossed Senate Bill 131

Representative Lytle called down Engrossed Senate Bill 131 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title.

HOUSE MOTION (Amendment 131-2)

Mr. Speaker: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 131 be amended to read as follows:

Page 2, after line 6, begin a new paragraph and insert:

SECTION 3. IC 9-19-10-3.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 3.5 (a) A vehicle may be stopped to determine compliance with this chapter. However:**

- (1) a vehicle;**
- (2) the contents of a vehicle;**
- (3) the driver of a vehicle; or**
- (4) a passenger in a vehicle;**

may not be inspected, searched, or detained solely because of a violation of this chapter.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), a law enforcement officer may not stop a vehicle for a possible safety belt violation under this chapter unless the law enforcement officer reasonably suspects that the driver or a passenger in the vehicle is not wearing a safety belt as required by this chapter. A reasonable suspicion exists under this subsection if the law enforcement officer observes the driver or a passenger under circumstances that would cause an ordinary prudent person to believe that the driver or passenger is not wearing a safety belt as required by this chapter.

SECTION 4. IC 9-19-10-3 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001].

(Reference is to Engrossed Senate Bill 131 as reprinted March 22, 2001.)

WELCH

Motion prevailed. The bill was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill 170

Representative Crosby called down Engrossed Senate Bill 170 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title.

HOUSE MOTION (Amendment 170-1)

Mr. Speaker: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 170 be amended to read as follows:

Page 1, line 8, strike "The revenue" and insert "**Except as provided in subsection (e), the revenue**".

Page 2, after line 30, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(e) Subsections (b)(9) and (b)(10) of this section do not apply to a county having a population of more than 300,000 but less than 400,000."

(Reference is to ESB 170 as printed March 22, 2001.)

POND

Motion prevailed. The bill was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill 270

Representative C. Brown called down Engrossed Senate Bill 270 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title. There being no amendments, the bill was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill 308

Representative C. Brown called down Engrossed Senate Bill 308 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title. There being no amendments, the bill was ordered engrossed.

Engrossed Senate Bill 357

Representative Dvorak called down Engrossed Senate Bill 357 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title.

HOUSE MOTION
(Amendment 357-1)

Mr. Speaker: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 357 be amended to read as follows:

Page 3, line 24, delete "139p(d)(4)." and insert "**1396p(d)(4)**".
(Reference is to ESB 357 as printed March 22, 2001.)

DVORAK

Motion prevailed. The bill was ordered engrossed.

**ENGROSSED SENATE BILLS
ON THIRD READING**

Engrossed Senate Bill 49

Representative Crawford called down Engrossed Senate Bill 49 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 419: yeas 89, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 83

Representative Crawford called down Engrossed Senate Bill 83 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 420: yeas 87, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 126

Representative Hasler called down Engrossed Senate Bill 126 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 421: yeas 88, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 260

Representative Kromkowski called down Engrossed Senate Bill 260 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning

pensions.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 422: yeas 82, nays 7. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 280

Representative C. Brown called down Engrossed Senate Bill 280 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 423: yeas 88, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 300

Representative Kromkowski called down Engrossed Senate Bill 300 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 424: yeas 85, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 389

Representative Kromkowski called down Engrossed Senate Bill 389 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 425: yeas 83, nays 5. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 441

Representative Aguilera called down Engrossed Senate Bill 441 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Representative Saunders was excused from voting. Roll Call 426: yeas 86, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 475

Representative Kuzman called down Engrossed Senate Bill 475 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 427: yeas 87, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The

question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 543

Representative Stevenson called down Engrossed Senate Bill 543 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 428: yeas 86, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 574

Representative Sturtz called down Engrossed Senate Bill 574 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning corrections.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 429: yeas 87, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Courts and Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 15, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 9, nays 0.

DVORAK, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Courts and Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 80, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

DVORAK, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Courts and Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 81, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

DVORAK, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Courts and Criminal Code, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 316, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

DVORAK, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Financial Institutions, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill 318, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 17, delete "delivered." and insert "**delivered, including any other unique identifying marks, numbers, names, letters, or special features.**".

Page 3, line 16, delete "delivered." and insert "**delivered, including any other unique identifying marks, numbers, names, letters, or special features.**".

Page 3, line 40, delete "the following;" and insert ":".

Page 3, line 41, delete "The" and insert "the".

Page 3, line 41, delete "." and insert ";

Page 3, line 42, delete "The" and insert "the".

Page 4, line 1, delete "." and insert "the".

Page 4, line 2, delete "The" and insert "the".

Page 4, line 9, delete "delivered;" and insert "**delivered, including any other unique identifying marks, numbers, names, letters, or special features;**".

Page 4, line 30, delete "provided that" and insert "**and**".

Page 4, line 30, delete "is" and insert "**must be**".

Page 5, line 5, delete "a service charge of".

Page 5, delete line 6 and insert "**the monthly fee authorized by subsection (a) accrues at a rate of one-thirtieth (1/30) of the monthly fee each day**".

Page 5, delete lines 24 through 31.

Page 5, delete lines 37 through 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) A law enforcement official may obtain or receive records and information described in subsection (a) relating to pawnbroking transactions for use in the official law enforcement purpose of investigating crime."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 318 as reprinted February 16, 2001.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 1.

BODIKER, Chair

Report adopted.

OTHER BUSINESS ON THE SPEAKER'S TABLE

Referrals to Ways and Means

The Speaker announced, pursuant to House Rule 127, that Engrossed Senate Bills 67, 216, and 457 had been referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

PETITION TO CHANGE VOTING RECORD

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 75, I hereby petition to change my voting record on the third reading of Engrossed Senate Bill 49, Roll Call 419, on March 27, 2001. In support of this petition, I submit the following reason:

"I was present but when I attempted to vote, I was unable to reach the button. I intended to vote Yea."

FRIEND

There being a constitutional majority voting in favor of the petition, the petition was adopted. [Journal Clerk's note: this changes the vote tally for Roll Call 419 to 89 yeas, 0 nays. The corrected roll call is printed with this Journal.]

PETITION TO CHANGE VOTING RECORD

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 75, I hereby petition to change my voting record on the third reading of Engrossed Senate Bill 280, Roll Call 423, on March 27, 2001. In support of this petition, I submit the following reason:

"I was present but when I attempted to vote, I was unable to reach the button. I intended to vote Yea."

FRIEND

There being a constitutional majority voting in favor of the petition, the petition was adopted. *[Journal Clerk's note: this changes the vote tally for Roll Call 423 to 88 yeas, 0 nays. The corrected roll call is printed with this Journal.]*

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Porter be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 80.

STURTZ

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Porter be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 81.

STURTZ

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Dvorak and Crosby be added as cosponsors of Engrossed Senate Bill 138.

WHETSTONE

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Budak be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 218.

HASLER

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Hasler be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 222.

WELCH

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Dillon be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 231.

CROSBY

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Bottorff be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 280.

C. BROWN

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Ruppel be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 345.

GOODIN

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Espich and GiaQuinta be added as cosponsors of Engrossed Senate Bill 389.

KROMKOWSKI

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Burton be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 405.

MELLINGER

Motion prevailed.

Pursuant to House Rule 60, committee meetings were announced.

On the motion of Representative Ayres the House adjourned at 4:20 p.m., this twenty-seventh day of March, 2001, until Thursday, March 29, 2001, at 10:00 a.m.

JOHN R. GREGG

Speaker of the House of Representatives

LEE ANN SMITH

Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives